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For: MIX-IN STRUCTURE FOR GAS OR THE LIKE IN PRESSURIZATION  
CENTRIFUGAL PUMP**SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

Prior to an examination on the merits of the above-identified patent application, and supplemental to the Preliminary Amendment filed February 7, 2005, Applicant respectfully requests that the present application be amended as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.